LIBERIA ASKS COUNSEL AND AID

Negro Republic in Hopeless Condition and the Prey of Strong Nations.

VIRGINIA FIRST TO ABOLISH SLAVERY

Thomas Jefferson Advocated the Colonization of Slaves as Early as 1781, and Virginia and Maryland Carried Out.

Plan-Root to Re-

ally responsible for the existence of Liberia, diplomatic history shows that this government has hesitated to stand sponsor for the little republic before the world.

Thomas Jefferson's name first ap-ars in the story of Liberia. In 1781 advocated the abolition of slavery

were sent out, but the renewed effort to purchase land failed.

An "Armed" Trade.

ASHINGTON, D. C., May 24—
Secretary Root has made an appointment to receive Tuesday a delegation representing the republic of a, which has come from the west of Africa to ask counsel and aid many troubles which have consily beset the effort to colonize ed slaves of America, which behe latter part of the eighteenth

collect revenue on imports. Great Britain objected, and ultimately patrolled the coast with armed vessels to enforce the customary free trade. Liberia sought the aid of the United States, and the matter was the subject of much correspondence between Washington and London.

It was on August 24, 1847, that the Banyble of Liberia with a consti-

ROOT SLATED TO SUCCEED FULLER AS CHIEF JUSTICE

pointed Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court. Of course, there is no means of denying or corroborating such a story. Secretary Taft has not been elected, and what is just around to the point, Chief Justice Fuller has not retired.

There is no indication that Chief Justice Fuller contemplates laving.

e likes to talk politics, at least, about as well as ever he did. It is also said hat Chief Justice Fuller might have esigned ere this but for the fact that c did not wish a Republican apointed to succeed him.

It is a remarkable fact that in the Supreme Court who has arrived at the age of seventy years may retire on full pay, provided he has served ten years. The Chief Justice receives a salary of \$13,500 a year.

The salary of an associate justice is \$12,500.

Oliver Ellsworth, Connecticut, March

Salmon P. Chase, Ohi

ANTI-INJUNCTION BILL

ally of the House, made a desperate effort to secure legislation at this session limiting and regulating the powers of Federal courts to issue injunctions. If such legislation is enacted the credit therefor will be primarily due to Democratic members who have been insisting, in season and out of geason, that Congress should take some iteps to carrect the alleged abuses of the injunction process by Federal courts of inferior jurisdiction.

Representative Robert Lee Henry, of Texas, a member of the Committee on Judiciary, and one of the ablest lawivers in the House, introduced early in the session a so-called anti-injunction bill, the chief feature of which was that no injunction should be issued until both sides of the controversy had been heard. The demand for such legislation when Congress convened appeared to be so general that it was generally believed that the national legislature would respond at once. It soon developed, however, that powerful interests were opposing any change in

CONGRESSIONAL FORECAST

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.-Both bills. All the supply measures have

The Senate and the House will devote their best efforts to so shaping their affairs as to bring about an adjournment at the earliest time possible during the present week, and as a consequence whatever is done will be in the nature of completing work already between host of the time, if not all of the will be given to consideration of reports of conference committees dealing with points of difference between the two houses in measures which have been passed by both. Even these will be confined largely to appropriation the service of the provisions of the omnibus probably take place Thursday.

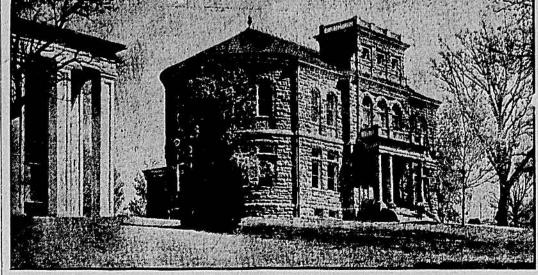
BABY MINE"

period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy, but the suffering incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of dread. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of much of the pain of maternity; this hour, dreaded as woman's severest trial, is not only made less painful, but danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, and the system is prepared for the coming event by the use of **Nother's Friend**.

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y every Protestant pulpit in the city

'WET OR DRY" FIGHT

OVERNOR GLENN SPEAKS FOR PROHIBITION

entrance and relieve her of her selfimposed burden.

DEADLY GUN PLAY

Two Killed and Two Wounded During Fight on Highway.

NEW ORLEANS, I.A., May 24.—News reached here to-day of the killing of another and the injury of a fourth in a revolver and shotgun battle near Big Springs, Miss., vesterday. The dead are William Hilton and his son. Thomas Hilton. The wounded are John Nation and a negro whose name is not known. The shooting was the seque of a quarrel white home of the Nation. John Nation. Asing ago between William Hilton and John Nation. Yesterday these two men met again and resumed the quarrel, but were separated. Later, when a negro was driving the Hiltons by the home of the Nations, John Nation was standing in front of his house. Words were passed and shots had been exchanged when the younger Nation received a wound from the Hiltons with deadly effect, also wounding the negro driver? Before the arrival of his son the elder Nation which may prove fatal.

SERMON TO GRADUATES

OF SALEM FEMALE COLLEGE.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

VINISTON-SALEM, N. C., May 24.—The day evening were unusually interesting, and Cameron the forth Moral of the Moral of th

Delivers Address Before Members Dr. Calisch and Mr. McCaul Two of the Charter Members.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CHARLOTTESVILE, VA., May 24.— A chapter of the Delta Sigma Rho fraternity has been installed at the Uni-

BEDFORD CITY NOTES

delegates for the State con meet in Roanoke June 11th.

SUES FOR \$25,000.

University Student Wants Southern

welling the majority.

MRS. LONGWORTH'S NEW FEAT

Wanits Fence to Greet Husband and Carry His Suit Case.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 24.—That Mrs. Nicholas Longworth's athletic skill has not deserted her since her assumption of matrimony is shown in a novel manner.

Recently wayfarers in the vicinity of the Longworth residence noticed a hansom cab drive up to the legislator's house. In a second Mr. Longworth, bearing a suit case, emerged from the vehicle. Evidently Mrs. Longworth had been on the lookout for his arrival, for before cabby had received his hire the Fresident's daughter had made her way down the stairs and out into the garden, which is inclosed by an iron fence four feet high.

Without stopping to unlatch the gate, Mrs. Longworth placed two hands on the fence, and, lightly vaulting it, was at her husband's side. Grasping the suit case in one hand and seizing him by the arm with the other, she walked along gaily chatting and had started to carry the suit case into the house before the servants had time to make their appearance at the front entrance and relieve her of her self-imposed burden.

University Student Wants Leg.. CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., May 24.—That Through his attorneys, Messrs. Harmon & Walstoney, May 24.—That though his attorneys, Messrs. Harmon & Walstoney, May 24.—That though his attorneys, Messrs. Harmon & Walstoney, May 24.—That though his attorneys, Messrs. Harmon & Walstoney, May 24.—That though his attorneys, Messrs. Harmon & Walstoney, May 24.—That the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia, has entered suit in the Circuit Court against the University of Virginia,

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ling in the Presbyterian Church by Dr.
John L. Allison, of Washington.
Mrs. Stonewall Jackson is expected
to be the guest of the institute during the commencement.

SUCCESSFUL YEAR OF MONTEREY SCHOOLS

THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD LAD DROWNED IN CREEK.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
GORDONSVILLE, VA., May 24.
tobert, the thirteen-year-old son
fr. James Watkins, who lives about

Both Legs Crushed by Train.

legs, crushing them off just below the knee.

Mrs. Peebles in Penitentiary.

BEDFORD CITY, MAY 24 .- Mrs. Ed-BEDFORD CITY, MAY 24.—Mrs. Ed-monia M. Peebles, whose brutal murder of her husband the last of August, 1907, created much interest and horror, is now in the State Penitentiary to serve a sentence of two years. She went very cheerfully, declaring her purpose of shortening the time by good behavior.

WILLIAMSBURG HIGH SCHOOL CLOSES

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WILLIAMSBURG, VA., May 24.—The closing exercises of the Williamsburg High School took place last night, after continuing through Thursday and Fri-day evenings. The exercises this year were unusually interesting, and Came-ron Hall was packed to its utmost ca-

MOUNTAIN LION REV. DR. M'DANIEL VISITS ASHEVILLE TALKSTOSTUDENTS

Terrifies Crowds and Disperses Preaches Commencement Sermon Hunters Who Seek His

t Kenilworth Inn, one of the most outside the city limits, and residents that neighborhood are greatly

Mrs. John R. Rumsey.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., May 24.—
Mrs. John R. Rumsey, of Hinton, Rockingham 20unty, Va., dled yesterday at the University of Virginia Hospital, where she was brought for treatment for stomach trouble, with which she had been suffering for three weeks. She was thirty-five years of age. She is survived by her husband, who was at her bedside during her illness. The remains were taken on the afternoon train to Harrisonburg. The funeral took place this afternoon from her home at Hinton.

Jonas Puffenbarger.

MONTEREY, VA., May 24.—Jonas

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MONTEREY, VA., May 24.—Jonas Puffenbarger, one of the old citizens of Highland, died at his home on Alleghany Mountain, near the West Virginia line, at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Puffenbarger was an octogenarian, being in his eighty-fourth year, and was one of the old landmarks. He is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters.

Mrs. Mary Pope.
[Special to The Times-Pispatch.]
WINCHESTER. VA.. May 24.—Mrs.
Mary Pope, widow of Michael Pope, Mary Pope, widow of Michael Pope, and a well-known resident of Berry-ville, died last night, aged seventy years. Two daughters and one son sur-vive.

DEATHS

KIDWELL — Died, at her home, 1001 1-2
West Main, Saturday, May 23d, at
11:30 P. M., Mrs. MARY E. KIDWELL, widow of Francis L Kidwell,
Funeral from Sacred Heart Cathedral TUESDAY at 10 o'clock,
Friends and acquaintances invited to
attend.

RHODES.—Died, at about \$:36 o'clock Sunday, May 24, 1908, at her resi-dence, 302 Allen Avenue, Mrs. SUSAN S. RHODES. Funeral notice later.

at Agricultural and Mechanical College,

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C. May 24.—The annual commencement of the North Carolina College of Agriculture and Me the commencement sermon by Dr. Geo. W. McDaniel, the distinguished Baptist pastor of Richmond. Va., an immense audience that taxed the capacity of Pullen auditorium at the college byterian Sunday school. The discourse by Dr. McDaniel was especially elo-

quent and appropriate. Monday there will be the alumni oration by A. E. Escott; on Tuesday the

in behalf of the prohibitionists, and simultaneously at another place in the city, the raily of the other faction with an address by Mr. Cyrus B. Watson, the leading anti-prohibitionists in the State.

Boyd Putnam Dead.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Boyd Putnam, the actor and leading man for the Lillian Russell Company, died tother Lillian Russell Company, died tother Lillian Russell Company, died tother lillian Russell Company, and the company of the Lillian Russell Company of the Company of

Mr. Wilson Made President.
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. May 24.—
Mr. Ralph E. Wilson, of Northfield,
Minn., has been elected president of
the graduate class of the University
of Virginia for next session. The
other officers of the class will be
chosen at the opening of the session
in September. Mr. Wilson is a
bachelor of arts of Carleton College,
and is one of the assistants in astronomy at the Leander McCormick Observatory, at the university.

Sanford, N. C.

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